Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 06 Mar 2024 until 23:59 on Thursday 07 Mar 2024

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 06 Mar 2024 at 03:12

Confidence: Generally high confidence in the weather pattern through the week and into the weekend, lower for risk of rainfall on Sunday.

Headline for Wednesday 06 Mar 2024: Dry with good sunny periods.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 06 Mar 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Clear night	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

Forecast for Wednesday 06 Mar 2024

Weather: Some local mist or freezing fog in valleys early this morning, but soon clearing to leave sunny skies. Patchy fair weather cloud developing into the afternoon but remaining dry. Continuing fine this evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 95%

Low cloud and visibility: Visibility generally very good but locally moderate or poor in any early mist and fog.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	12/17 SE	15/20 SE	15/21 SE	16/22 SE	15/22 SE	18/26 SE	19/27 SE
300	6/9 E	4/8 E	8/16 SE	9/18 SE	6/16 SE	7/18 SE	6/15 E
Valley	4/9 E	4/10 E	8/15 SE	9/18 SE	5/14 SE	4/12 E	6/13 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	4/-1	3/-2	5/1	6/2	5/0	3/-2	2/-3
300	2/-1	4/2	9/6	9/7	6/4	5/2	3/-0
Valley	1/-1	4/2	9/8	10/8	6/5	4/2	3/1
Freezing Level*	1000m	1000m	1000m	1100m	1100m	1000m	900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling cold at height with a moderate breeze. Be prepared with appropriate layers.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Wed 06 Mar 2024	0.8mm	11.6mm	11.8mm

Forecast for Thursday 07 Mar 2024

Weather: Rather cloudy to start with cloud most extensive across eastern slopes where locally thick enough for some drizzle. In the west a few mist or fog patches, mainly in valleys. Cloud, mist and fog lifting and breaking during the morning, leading to good sunny spells. Cloud increasing through the afternoon, with a chance of passing showers, these perhaps lingering into the early evening where they could turn wintry over the highest ground. Blustery winds at height.

Maximum wind: East 25-30mph, gusting 35-40mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 20-30%, improving 70-80% during the afternoon

Low cloud and visibility: Scattered or broken cloud base 400-500m at first, mainly in the east. This lifting to few or scattered cloud base 600-800m by the afternoon, then broken into the evening. Visibility poor in hill fog, otherwise good but temporarily reduced in drizzle or showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 3 rising to plus 9 Celsius
At 600m: Plus 2 rising to plus 4 Celsius, then plus 2 Celsius by evening.
Freezing level: 900-1100m

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